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- Colorado-based company founded in 2004
- TeleForumTM: live, interactive telephone town halls
 - Up to 3 million participants at one time
 - Moderated and screened Q&A
- Since 2010, Broadnet's TeleForums have given a voice to more than 45 million citizens through federal, state and local government Telephone Town Halls
 - 19,000 TeleForums
 - 20 to 40 events daily



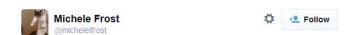
Audience Participation



Honored he took the first question from me RT @detansinn: .@mtgrove in the house on the @RepFitzpatrick telephone townhall.



Thank you for the informative telephone town hall meeting and polls tonight. They are vital for those of us in rural areas
@RepStevePearce



Just got to ask a question in a tele-town hall with my Congressman @JudgeCarter . Proud to vote for him

- High participation rates: up to 76% join event
- Active participation: Average 68% of total event time
- More engaged, more questions
- 4 96% say would "absolutely" participate again
- **Positive** social sharing and voicemail response



Wireless-Only Households On the Rise

- Wireless Substitution: Early Release of Estimates From CDC's National Health Interview Survey, January

 –June 2015
 - 47.4% of households were wireless-only during first half of 2015, up from 44.0% since the first half of 2014
 - More than two-thirds of adults aged 25-34 and of adults renting their homes live in wireless-only households
 - Adults living in poverty (59.3%) and near poverty (54.4%) more likely than higher income adults (45.7%) to be living in wirelessonly homes
 - Hispanic adults (59.2%) and non-Hispanic black adults much more likely than non-Hispanic white adults (43.2%) to be living in wireless-only homes

Because of the TCPA's uncertain application to TeleForums, millions of Americans could be excluded from these important calls



Broadnet Petition for Declaratory Ruling

- Filed Sept. 16, 2015; comment period ended Nov. 13, 2015
- Seeks declaration that the TCPA and the Commission's TCPA rules do not apply to calls made by or on behalf of federal, state, and local governments when such calls are made for official purposes
- Support from American Public Power Association and the American Public Gas Association
- Objections expressed by two commenters; no opposition from consumer groups



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